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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

We have been paying \$150/month for telephone and internet service for the last 10 years. The service has been spotty at best, with little customer care when weve needed to contact AT&T. We have recently been able to switch to a local company and are now able to get the same service for \$50/month. This means \$100 of savings can go towards our childrens future. Providers like AT&T and Comcast have had little competition besides each other for decades, with moderate income families like ours stuck in the crosshairs paying continuously rising bills. Please dont shut down this new and market healthy competition.

Thank You

Rikki Jacobsen